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POLICE INVESTIGATE MURDER IN VALENCIA PARK

San Diego Police Department Homicide Unit detectives are investigating the shooting death of a male in Valencia Park last night.

At 11:19 p.m., a citizen called police to report someone shot in the 200 block of 55th Street. Officers arrived to find Raymond Shields, 49, suffering from a gunshot wound. Paramedics transported Shields to a trauma center, but he died at 12:02 a.m.

The motive for the crime is not known, nor do detectives know where Shields was shot before he collapsed on 55th Street. Anyone with information about this incident is encouraged to call the Homicide Unit at (619) 531-2293 or Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-TIPS.

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